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- 1. EMB WAS INFORMED BY PHONE THAT DURING FEB 16 FRASER SUBCOMMITTEE HEARINGS, REP. LARRY MACDONALD PRESENTED TESTIMONY WHICH INCLUDED MATERIAL EXCERPTED FROM A SECRET/EXDIS AIRGRAM (MANAGUA A-118 DATED NOVEMBER 17, 1977). FURTHER, EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS THAT DRAFTER OF THE AIRGRAM WAS SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED.
- 2. EMBASSY REQUESTS FULL INFORMATION ON THIS SERIOUS LEAK OF A HIGHLY SENSITIVE AND RESTRICTED DOCUMENT. SECONDLY, EMBASSY BELIEVES IT WOULD

BE APPROPRIATE FOR DEPT TO REVIEW WITH REP. MCDONALD AND APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL AUTHORITIES WHETHER HE WAS AWARE THAT THE INFORMATION HE WAS SUBMITTING FOR THE HEARINGS WAS CLASSIFIED. DEPT WILL UNDERSTAND THAT THE IMPLICATIONS OF SUCH A SERIOUS BREACH OF CONFIDENTIALITY CAN SIGNIFICANTLY INHIBIT THE FLOW OF CANDID ANALYSIS WHICH IS NECESSARY TO AN INFORMED EXECUTION OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY. SOLAUN

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